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## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Application of: Boyse et al.

Serial No.: 08/442,277

Group Art Unit: 1804

Filed: May 16, 1995

Examiner: Stanton, B.

For: ISOLATION AND  
PRESERVATION OF FETAL  
AND NEONATAL  
HEMATOPOIETIC STEM AND  
PROGENITOR CELLS OF THE  
BLOOD

Attorney Docket No.: 6287-026

PROVISIONAL ELECTION UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.143 WITH TRAVERSE

Assistant Commissioner for Patents  
Washington, D.C. 20231

S I R :

In response to the outstanding Office Action dated September 14, 1995, please consider the following traversal, provisional election, and remarks. Applicants submit concurrently herewith (a) a Petition to Extend Time for a period of four (4) months up to and including February 14, 1996 accompanied by the appropriate fee; and (b) an Information Disclosure Statement Under 37 C.F.R. § 1.56 together with a PTO Form 1449 (revised as a List of References Cited by Applicant).

REMARKS

The Examiner has required an election under 35 U.S.C. § 121 of one of the following inventions:

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FEE TRANSMITTAL SHEET

Assistant Commissioner for Patents  
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Sir:

The fee required to be filed with the accompanying Provisional Election Under 37 C.F.R. § 1.143 With Traverse of even date herewith concerning the above-identified application has been estimated to be \$-0-.

Please charge the required fee to Pennie & Edmonds Deposit Account No. 16-1150.

A copy of this sheet is enclosed.

Respectfully submitted,

Date February 8, 1996

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